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SUBJECT: ASU STATEMENT ON CAIRO RIOTS

- 1. ARAB SOCIALIST UNION COUNCIL OF SECRETARIES ISSUED STATEMENT JAN. 6 STRONGLY CONDEMNING SABOTAGE INSTIGATED BY EXTREME LEFTIST ELEMENTS, WHO INTENDED TO CREATE CLASS CONFLICT AND DESTROY NATIONAL UNITY.
- 2. PRESS ALSO REPORTS TELEGRAMS ADDRESSED TO PRESIDENT ARE ARRIVING FROM ALL OVER EGYPT, RENEWING SUPPORT FOR SADAT AND HIS "WISE POLICY". ASU GROUP IN PORT SAID REPORTEDLY SPONSORED PROSADAT RALLY SUGGESTING ASU MECHANISM HAS BEEN ACTIVATED TO CALM SITUATION AT GRASS ROOTS.
- 3. COMMENT: ASU IS ONLY ORGANIZATION OTHER THAN MILITARY WITH IMMEDIATE ACCESS TO ALL LEVELS EGYPTIAN SOCIETY. TOP LEVELS OF GOE ARE VERY CONSCIOUS OF EDUCATIVE POTENTIAL OF ASU MECHANISM. PRESIDENT MAY HAVE DECIDED TO USE ASU TO CALM SITUATION AND EXPLAIN HIS DETERMINATION ALLEVIATE DOMESTIC DISTRESS. EILTS

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